



The Kendall Jackson Wine promotion results in a great trip for Marriott employees

On Thursday evening, Clive Faustin of The Wine Barrel, distributors in Aruba of the fine Kendall Jackson wines was proud to award all-expense paid trips to servers from The Marriott Resort and Stellaris Casino for their exceptional performance in encouraging guests to sample the well-respected vintages from California.

Alfredo Horacio Moleker the “singing server” of the Tuscany Restaurant, and Alfredo Velasquez Lozano of the beachfront Simply Fish will enjoy a week in Sonoma, California learning the fine points of wine production and savoring several delectable vintages. The program will include a “hands-on” experience in every phase of wine-making from the construction of the barrels, the crushing of the grapes and the best part, the wine tasting. Other classes will actually include learning to match wines with various dishes to enhance the flavor of both.

The two Alfredos are being rewarded for achieving the highest number of customers selecting the Kendall Jackson wines to accompany their dinner, but they both report it was an easy task. “The Kendall Jackson wines are well known, and people are happy to order them, knowing they will be satisfied with their choice, and we felt confident in suggesting them to our patrons.”

Aside from the complete wine country experience, which includes meals at some very fine restaurants, the participants from Aruba will also have an opportunity to enjoy the beautiful California countryside with a tour of the famed Redwood Forests and some canoeing on the Russian River.

Additionally participating in the trip will be Amit Kumar Sen, Beverage Manager of the Marriott, Michel Frank from El Gaucho Restaurant and Travis Bernadina from Kong Hing Wholesale, partners with The Wine Barrel in conducting the Kendall Jackson promotional. Bill Blais, Area Manager Caribbean for Kendall Jackson, his assistant, Mark Kilbride and Jim Cutcher, a representative of Kendall Jackson Winery, will host the seminar. Karen Swiers, Press Relations Coordinator for the Marriott expressed on behalf of the resort their great pride in that both winners and their manager were chosen for this honor, further enhancing the already fine reputation of the resort’s restaurants.

THE NEWS offers their congratulations to Alfredo and Alfredo, and the Marriott for this achievement!